

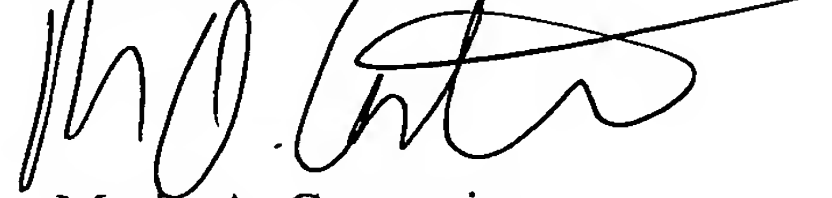
REMARKS

Claims 1-11 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, the continuity data is added to page 1 of the specification.

The Examiner is requested to consider the references identified in the Information Disclosure Statement filed herewith. These references were cited by the Patent Office or submitted to the Patent Office during prosecution of the parent application.

Examination and allowance in due course are earnestly solicited.

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